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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration: Joseph E. Guth
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
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[X] Fee Transmittal PTO/SB/17 (in duplicate)

[X] Notice to File Missing Parts, Part 2

[X] Signed Declaration (inventor Guth)

X] 4 Sheets Replacement Drawings (Fig. 4, 5, 6 and 9)

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Respectfully submitted,

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